

## CITY OF SANTA BARBARA STAFF HEARING OFFICER

RESOLUTION NO. 044-08
40 W. GUTIERREZ STREET
TENTATIVE SUBDIVISION MAP TIME EXTENSION
JUNE 18, 2008

APPLICATION OF LAURA HANSON DESIGN, AGENT FOR STEPHEN F. LEROY, PROPERTY OWNER, 420 W. GUTIERREZ STREET, APN 037-191-007, R-4: MULTIPLE RESIDENCE ZONE, GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION: RESIDENTIAL, 12 UNITS/ACRE (MST2004-00007)

The proposal is a request to extend the expiration date of the Tentative Map approved by the Staff Hearing Officer on June 21, 2006. A three-year extension is requested pursuant to SBMC§27.07.110. The project approved by the Staff Hearing Officer involves the conversion of an existing two-story, three-unit apartment building into three condominium units. The existing building consists of one (1) two-bedroom unit, two (2) three-bedroom units and four attached covered parking spaces. Unit A is an existing 825 square foot, two-bedroom unit that would be converted to a 750 square foot, one-bedroom unit with an attached one-car garage. Unit B is an existing 1,293 square foot, three-bedroom unit that would be converted to a 1,374 square foot, two-bedroom unit with an attached two-car tandem garage. Unit C is an existing three-bedroom unit that would be increased from 1,158 to 1,187 square feet with an attached two-car garage. An exception to the physical standard requirements for condominium conversions, to allow only one parking space for Unit A instead of two, is requested.

The Environmental Analyst has determined that the project is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Guidelines Section 15305 for the extension of time limits on an approved project where circumstances have not changed.

WHEREAS, the Staff Hearing Officer has held the required public hearing on the above application, and the Applicant was present.

WHEREAS, no one appeared to speak in favor of the application or in opposition thereto, and the following exhibits were presented for the record:

- 1. Staff Report with Attachments, May 11, 2008.
- 2. Site Plans
- Correspondence received in opposition to the project:
   Ms. Paula Westbury, 650 Miramonte Drive, Santa Barbara, CA 93109.

## NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Staff Hearing Officer:

Approved a three-year time extension, to June 21, 2011, for the Tentative Subdivision Map, subject to the original Conditions of Approval included in Exhibit C of the Staff Report.

This motion was passed and adopted on the 18th day of June, 2008 by the Staff Hearing Officer of the City of Santa Barbara.

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I hereby certify that this Resolution correctly reflects the action taken by the City of Santa Barbara Staff Hearing Officer at its meeting of the above date.

Kathleen Stoo

Kathleen Goo, Staff Hearing Officer Secretary

Date

## PLEASE BE ADVISED:

- 1. This action of the Staff Hearing Officer can be appealed to the Planning Commission or the City Council within ten (10) days after the date the action was taken by the Staff Hearing Officer.
- 2. If you have any existing zoning violations on the property, other than those included in the conditions above, they must be corrected within thirty (30) days of this action.
- 3. Subsequent to the outcome of any appeal action your next administrative step should be to apply for Architectural Board of Review (ABR) approval and then a building permit.
- 4. PLEASE NOTE: A copy of this resolution shall be reproduced on the first sheet of the drawings submitted with the application for a building permit. The location, size and design of the construction proposed in the application for the building permit shall not deviate from the location, size and design of construction approved in this modification.
- 5. NOTICE OF APPROVAL TIME LIMITS: The Staff Hearing Officer's action approving the Performance Standard Permit or Modifications shall expire two (2) years from the date of the approval, per SBMC §28.87.360, unless:
  - a. A building permit for the construction authorized by the approval is issued within twenty four months of the approval. (An extension may be granted by the Staff Hearing Officer if the construction authorized by the permit is being diligently pursued to completion.) or;
  - b. The approved use has not been discontinued, abandoned or unused for a period of six months following the earlier of:
    - i. an Issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for the use, or;
    - ii. one (1) year from granting the approval.